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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: James Johnson

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For: **FASTENER TAPE, METHOD OF AND APPARATUS ...**

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2005, Applicant requests that the above-identified application be reconsidered in view of the remarks which follow, that each of the present pending claims be allowed and that the application be passed to issue.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on February 24, 2006

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